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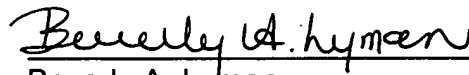
Sir:

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e & f)

A computer readable copy of the sequence listing in Applicants' previously submitted application, by Achilefu, et al. Serial No. 09/864,011, filed on May 23, 2001, is identical to the sequence listing in the above-referenced application. A corrected computer diskette was submitted on June 19, 2002, and was accepted as compliant with all of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.821.

Applicant requests that the United States Patent and Trademark Office use the compliant computer readable "Sequence Listing" already on file in application Serial No. 09/864,011. The paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" submitted herewith for consideration in the above-referenced application is identical to the compliant computer readable "Sequence Listing" already on file in application Serial No. 09/864,011.

Respectfully submitted,



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